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5. There is no dissatisfaction, unrest, or opposition to the Soviet policy on religion. Church services are forbidden but if any interest is expressed in religion at all, it is done in secret.

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- 6. There is no conflict between minority groups. The Armenians and the Azerbaydzhanis get along well together even to the point of intermarrying.
- 7. Opposition and unrest among the people is swiftly and severely dealt with by the government. Those who express dissatisfaction are "immediately put away". As a result, the people are forced to act docile. However, the people bear a deep hatred for the Soviet government, but will be ready for active opposition only when they know that their opposition will be adequately supported by a strong internal or external force.
 - 1. Comment. Gyullibulag and Shurabat are very small settlements in the Armenian-Turkish border area near Leninakan (N 40-48,
 E 43-50).

 2. Comment. Presumably those who died,